

REMARKS

Claims 1, 12, 15, 29, 44 and 66-69 were rejected on the ground of double patenting in view of particular claims of parent U.S. Patent 6,888,477, grand parent U.S. 6,593,860 and great-grandparent U.S. 6,407,680. Claims 15, 44 and 66 also were objected to.

To overcome the double patenting rejection, applicants submit herewith a Terminal Disclaimer, incorporating the usual Statement under 37 CFR 3.73 (b), together with the disclaimer fee.

Additionally, claims 15, 44 and 66 are amended to satisfy the objection raised in the Office Action under reply.

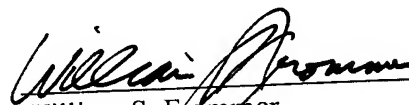
Accordingly, it is submitted that this application now is in condition for allowance. The issuance of the Notice of Allowance is respectfully solicited.

Please charge any additional fees that may be needed, and credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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